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Applicant : Keiichiro ASAOKA, et al.
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10 THEREFOR, AND FLOCCULATION METHOD
USING FLOCCULANT
Group Art Unit : 1712
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timely filed on or before August 12, 2008.

40 Amendments to the specification begin on page 3.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 6.

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Please amend the Application as follows: